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Sir:

WhisperWire, Inc., 100% owner of the above-identified patent application, as evidenced by the attached Assignment filed on July 19, 2001 with the above-referenced application, hereby revokes all previous Powers of Attorney and appoints the following attorneys under Customer No. 25094, all of the firm of Gray Cary Ware & Freidenrich, LLP, to prosecute the above-identified Patent and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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☒ Assignment☐ Security Agreement☐ Merger☐ Change of Name☐ OtherExecution Dates: July 16, 2001, July 15, 2001, July 16, 2001, and July 14, 2001, respectively

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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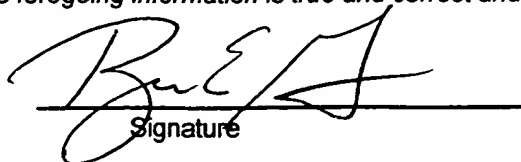
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Date

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**ASSIGNMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the undersigned inventors, hereinafter called the "Assignors," have invented a new and useful invention entitled:

**EXPERT SYSTEM SUPPORTED INTERACTIVE  
PRODUCT SELECTION AND RECOMMENDATION**

for which reference a full description is here made in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed herewith.

**WHEREAS**, WhisperWire, Inc., a company having a principal office and place of business at, 8240 N. Mopac Expressway #200, Austin, Texas 78759 hereinafter called the "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, the application above identified, and in, to and under Letters Patent which may be obtained for said invention, as hereinafter more fully set forth;

**NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**, be it known that for valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which by the Assignors from the Assignee is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and the application herein above identified, and all Letters Patents that may issue for the said invention, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, and extensions thereof, to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which any and all of said Letters Patents for the said invention may issue.

**FURTHER**, be it known that the Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire foreign rights to the invention disclosed in said application, in all countries of the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents under the terms of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and of the European Patent Convention, and further agrees to execute any and all patent applications, assignments, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such patent rights.

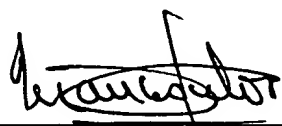
And the Assignors do hereby covenant and agree, for themselves and their legal representatives, that they will assist the Assignee in the prosecution of the application herein identified; in the making and prosecution of any other applications for Letters Patent that the Assignee may elect to make covering the invention herein identified, as herein before set forth, including any application for reissue, application for reexamination, application for foreign patent rights, or any proceeding in the United States Patent and Trademark Office affecting the invention, investing in the Assignee exclusive title in and to all such other applications and Letters Patent; and in the prosecution of any interference which may arise involving said invention, or any application or Letters Patents herein contemplated; that they will promptly execute and deliver to the Assignee

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And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue all Letters Patent to the Assignee in accordance with the terms of the assignment.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, the Assignors have hereunto set their hands on the date(s) indicated below.


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